

MAHER ELATED.

Wants to Fight For World's
Championship.

WILL BATTLE ANYWHERE

For a Moderate Stake, in Public or in
Private—Will Not Challenge Cor-
bett, But Is Anxious to
Fight Fitzsimmons.

New York, Nov. 13.—J. J. Quinn, the manager of Peter Maher, who knocked out O'Donnell so easily Monday night, made a statement yesterday in behalf of the fighter. He said:

"Maher challenges any man in the world to fight for the championship, and he will not put the stakes so high that no one except a man with three millionaires behind him can accept. Maher will fight for \$5,000 a side, in public or private, and he will go any place to do battle, South Africa not barred. Peter claims that he has as much right to the title of champion as any one man, and he is particularly anxious to meet Fitzsimmons."

Quinn said that Maher would not challenge Corbett, because Corbett had asked him as a personal favor not to do so, as he has retired.

Maher goes to Philadelphia to visit friends and will then be ready to meet all comers. The Irish champion is but 26 years of age and weighed 170 pounds on the night of the fight.

RECORD BROKEN.

Big Four Train Makes Fast Time Between
Cleveland and Cincinnati.

CINCINNATI, Nov. 13.—The Big Four railway broke the record on time between Cleveland and Cincinnati yesterday with a special train bearing the members of the Cleveland chamber of commerce en route to the Atlanta exposition. The distance is 263 miles. The train left Cleveland at 1:55 p. m. and arrived here at 7 p. m., averaging over 50 miles per hour. The distance was covered in 5 hours and 25 minutes, and it had never been made before in less than six hours. The train consisted of one baggage, two dining cars and seven Wagner sleepers.

KNOCKED SENSELESS.

Prizefighter Seem to Have Fought
in Cincinnati.

CINCINNATI, Nov. 13.—A large crowd was present at the Olympic club here last night to witness Jimmy Ryan and George Johnson, colored, fight 10 rounds for \$300. Johnson was the taller and heavier, and for three rounds displayed science. In the fourth round the colored man swung his right, but was countered with a jab on the chin that raised him from the floor. He fell heavily, and was rendered unconscious. Ryan was awarded the prize.

SHOULD WEAR SPECTACLES.

Used His Six-Shooter and Killed a \$75
Jersey Calf.

MUNCIE, Ind., Nov. 13.—Last night the family of John Dungan, south of the city, were awakened by what they believed to be burglars at a window. Mr. Dungan got his 6-shooter and slipped around the house where he got a view of the window and fired at the object, which looked to be one man lifting another into the window. After the smoke cleared away Mr. Dungan found that he had killed a \$75 Jersey calf.

Arrested For Murder.

KOKOMO, Ind., Nov. 13.—The court of inquiry in the Lowry murder mystery in progress here brought out surprising developments and two men are in jail. John Thompson and William Campbell, of Windfall, relatives of the victim's widow, the latter a brother, the former an uncle. Lowry's dead body was found Sunday in a stone quarry. He had evidently been murdered.

New Apple Seedling.

RICHMOND, Ind., Nov. 13.—Local horticulturists are greatly interested in a new apple seedling grown on the farm of Jesse Stevens. Samples will be exhibited at the state meeting to be held at Indianapolis Dec. 3.

Responsible For a Death.

ANDERSON, Ind., Nov. 13.—Coroner Wells finds faith christians responsible for the death of a child who had a mild case of diphtheria, and arrests will be made.

House Blown to Atoms.

ALLANCE, Ind., Nov. 13.—The residence of Jake Capp was blown to atoms by natural gas, and Capp and his daughter were seriously burned.

Murderers at Large.

LITTLE ROCK, Nov. 13.—Fred Crocker, son of R. M. Crocker, a prominent citizen of Suburb Springs, was murdered by Crocker, Banks and Al Little, a local desperado, at Benton county Sunday night. The murderers are at large.

Another Preacher's Downfall.
ST. LOUIS, Nov. 13.—Rev. Dr. William T. Lee of Benton, a suburb of this city, has been found guilty of the charge of undue familiarity with female members of his flock, preferred against him, and has been formally suspended from the Presbyterian church.

Atcham Town Scorching.
MONTGOMERY, Ala., Nov. 13.—The business portion of Haynesville, this town, was almost wiped out by fire, with a total loss of \$60,000. Fifteen stores were burned. The total insurance is about \$40,000.

Strike Settled.

PITTSBURGH, Nov. 13.—The plumbers' strike in Pittsburgh and Allegheny, which was inaugurated on Monday, has been settled and the men have returned to work. The demand for an increase of 10 per cent in wages was granted by the masters, to go into effect the first Monday in December.

The Doctor Died.

WOODRIDGE, O., Nov. 13.—Dr. P. A. Springer of Bismarck, who was visiting in Wayne county, O., was found dead on the public highway.

JOHN BARLEYCORN

Makes Terms With His Customers and
Gets Down to Business.

CINCINNATI, Nov. 13.—The distributors of the whisky trust met here yesterday and agreed to the terms of the combination formed in New York last month, which binds them not to buy of any distilleries except those in the new trust and the four outsiders named in "the combine." As the combination also agrees not to sell to any except those in the Western Distributors' association, the four additional wholesale liquor dealers here, who applied for admission, were shut out.

TOO MUCH HASTE

Express Robbery at Colorado
Springs.

OVERLOOKED A PACKAGE.

Took \$20,000 and Left \$35,000 Which
They Did Not Know Was in the
Safe When the Agent
Swung Open the Door.

COLORADO SPRINGS, Nov. 13.—The Wells-Fargo Express company has given out the following official statement regarding the robbery at the Santa Fe depot about 10 p. m.

"There was sent from Denver \$20,000 to the First National bank of Colorado Springs early in the morning. The money was in currency of small denominations and was received about 4 o'clock and to be delivered to the bank. The package containing the money was placed in the depot safe and both doors locked. There was nothing to indicate its value. Evidently the thieves knew of its existence."

"When train No. 6 came in about 9:45 there were other packages aboard with currency to the amount of \$35,000 consigned to the same bank. These packages were delivered to the agent and placed in the safe with the other. After the train had departed the agent, George Kroust, went to the platform to straighten the trucks which were standing there, and when he returned he was met at the door by two masked men with drawn revolvers."

"The package containing the \$20,000 was demanded, and the agent was compelled to open the safe and give it up. The agent said nothing about the remaining packages and the robbers left at once."

"The express company's officials believe that the robbery was committed by A. J. Gray, alias Sam Wells, and J. G. Stuart, alias C. J. Starr, who were arrested for the theft of \$16,000 from the express wagon at Cripple Creek April 11, and who recently, in company with Tom McCarthy, escaped from jail in this city. R. T. Montgomery, who was a prisoner at the time of the escape, notified the police at Denver several days ago that Gray and Stuart plotted when in jail to rob the express company again. The officials of the company believe that the robbers had an accomplice in the bank."

MEXICAN MELANGE.

Return of General Mena—Americans Hos-
pitably Entertained.

CITY OF MEXICO, Nov. 13.—There is much speculation regarding General Mena, who has just returned from Europe. It is now said he will be made minister of communications, and it is even said that he may be made vice president in case the constitution is changed. He has the confidence of President Diaz and the respect of all present parties. He is overwhelmed by visitors.

The Americanists are being most hospitably entertained in Oaxaca and have enjoyed their stay at the ruined temple at Mitla. The state authorities have been exceedingly courteous and members from the United States have been treated with splendid hospitality.

The Spaniards here have raised \$73,569 for the Spanish cause in Cuba. The order of the National Star has been created here for women desirous of becoming Masons.

The Ladies Aid Society

Of St. Paul's Lutheran church, will hold their annual bazaar and supper Saturday afternoon and evening of Nov. 16, in the O'Connor block, third door north of court house. Come get a good supper for 25 cts., children 15 cts.

To-day! To-day!!

We begin our great retiring sale of Warner Bros.' entire stock of clothing bought at 68 cents on the dollar, and will be sold at a slight advance. The Mammoth.

You Can Save Money

By trading at Arndt's grocery, 518 north Main street.

AMONG THE RAILROADS.

General yard master D. R. Hurst, of the L. E. & W., resumed his duties this morning, after a week's vacation.

The C. & E. pacer will run from Chicago to Huntington November 20th, and from the latter place to Marion on the 21st.

Mr. Newberry, formerly light yard master for the C. H. & D. at Toledo, has taken a position as a switchman in the L. E. & W. yards.

The new hospital of the Santa Fe Railway company at Topeka will be ready for occupancy December 1. It cost the company \$75,000.

Ernest Sarver leaves for Lima this evening. He expects to take a position as fireman on the Lake Erie & Western Railroad—*Sunday News*.

Detective McCarthy, of the C. & E., was in the city yesterday, investigating the cause of the accident with which the Danaher boy met Sunday afternoon.

The Baltimore and Ohio Southwestern, which has for years built most of its locomotives, has contracted for ten freight and six passenger locomotives.

The Grand Rapids and Indiana lines are doing much better this year, since January 1 having earned \$2,172,863, an increase over the corresponding period of 1894 of \$187,649.

Passenger officials of the Missouri Pacific state that the withdrawal of the prize fight at Hot Springs prevented their swelling the passenger earnings of the road at least \$50,000.

The Pennsylvania company it is said, will soon give an order for 50 passenger coaches for the Panhandle lines, which for three months past have been borrowing coaches from the Pennsylvania proper to handle their business.

The trolley system which the Pennsylvania has introduced on some of its branch lines is working satisfactorily. The company has lately adopted an air brake similar to the one used on its steam trains, and is highly pleased with its performance.

Fast time is now attracting so much attention that it has led to the revival of the project to build another trans-continental line from the Atlantic to the Pacific coast, to be 250 miles shorter than any now existing and free from curves and heavy grades.

The vacancy in the directorate of the Southern Pacific company, caused by the death of A. N. Towne,

has been filled by the election of Alfred F. Tubbs, who has not been heretofore connected with the road, but who is a personal friend of several of the directors.

The new reorganization plan of the Erie creates \$321,000,000 in new securities. There will be \$175,000,000 in bonds, of which \$35,000,000 will be 4 per cent prior lien bonds and \$150,000,000 3 and 4 per cent general lien bonds. The stock will be \$200,000,000 of first preferred and \$100,000,000 of second preferred, each 4 per cent non-accumulative, and \$100,000,000 of common stock.

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OIL AND GAS.

FLOWING OIL NOW.

Attorney Thos. R. Shaw, who with Minor Harrod and several others is interested in a well in West Virginia, is elated over a report received from that State late yesterday afternoon. The well was a wildcat, drilled in an undeveloped territory last August. It proved a heavy gasser at first, and nothing better than gas was expected of it, but the word received yesterday afternoon was to the effect that the well was flowing a good stream of crude oil. Mr. Shaw left for West Virginia last evening.

THE HOOSIER FIELD

The Keystone Oil company has finished up No. 4, Kiley farm, Van Buren township, Grant county. Its first 24 hours' output amounted to 150 barrels. The operators are very well pleased with the prospects of the Grant county territory, so far as developed. Indications are that the west side of this wonderful gas belt will be found the heart of the Hoosier field. Wm. M. Melville & Co. are also successful, as their No. 1, Saxon farm, same township, started at 120 barrels.

The Grant County Oil company's No. 1, Lasure farm, same township, is good for 10 barrels.

Wisely, Fitzgerald Bros. & Black's No. 2, Shoemaker farm, Hartford township, Adams county, is good for 20 barrels.

J. A. Graves' No. 1, Clendenning farm, same township, is good for 15 barrels.

Smith, Jay & Co. have a ten-barrel well in No. 2, Walters farm, Jackson township, Jay county.

Jones & Co. have a salt water well

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report

Royal Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE

in No. 2, Kiser farm, Nottingham township, Wells county.

The Ohio Oil company's No. 2, Foreman farm, Nottingham township, Wells county, is good for 20 barrels. Same company's No. 1, Turner farm, Jackson township, is good for 10 barrels. Same company's No. 8, Leonard farm, same township, is good for 10 barrels.

The Manhattan Oil company's No. 1, Ford farm, Jackson township, is good for 10 barrels.

Fishell & Co's No. 1, Perry farm, Jackson township, is good for five barrels.

Palmer, Johnson & Co's well on the Allen farm, Jackson township, is a light gasser.

The Upland Oil & Gas company's No. 3, Roberts farm, Washington township, Blackford county, is good for 10 barrels.

W. R. Welton's No. 2, Byall farm, Washington township, is good for 19 barrels.

The Chicago Oil company's No. 2, Henderson farm, Washington township, is good for five barrels.

The Union Oil company's No. 3, Perry farm, Chester township, Wells county, is good for two barrels.

REFINED GOES UP.

The refined oil market has been advanced a quarter of a cent per gallon by the Standard. This is the cause of the advance in the price of the crude product, or such is the opinion of many, while some think it was advanced to stimulate the drilling, which is dropping off rapidly. At the same time some are of the opinion that refined buyers were making ready to purchase a cargo, and the big concern wanted to hurry them up and added a little for that purpose. Anyone outside of the Standard that is out of their workings should be given a "bumo."—*Toledo Blade*.

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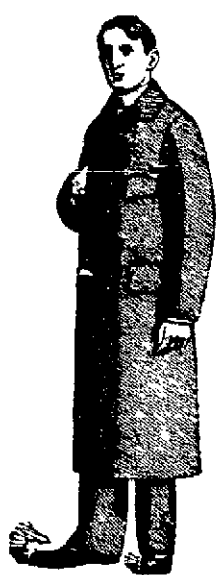
The Big Sale at the Mammoth Be-
gins.The Splendid Result of a Bold Busi-
ness Stroke.

The Mammoth has the reputation for both bold and startling business strokes. This great store has given the people of Lima many special sales that have proved all that was claimed. Sales that pleased and satisfied beyond expression, but the one which opens to-day will eclipse all previous efforts.

Only a man with the pluck and dash of A. Goldstein would have attempted such a gigantic deal. There are but few Abe Goldsteins and when you find one he always carries to successful issue whatever he undertakes.

Knowing the appreciation of Lima people, Mr. Goldstein, when he had the opportunity to make a large purchase at an advantageous figure, did not hesitate, but at one fell swoop he closed out nearly the entire stock of Warner Bros. & Co. This is one of the oldest and best concerns in Buffalo. For years they conducted a business that was unsurpassed, both in character of goods manufactured and in amount. Mr. Goldstein has been a large buyer of Warner Bros. & Co., and when he learned of the fact that they were about to retire from business he lost no time in opening negotiations. Knowing that he would get only strictly first-class goods. As they were anxious to close out as soon as possible, he found them in a friendly mood and succeeded in buying to elegant advantage, at not over 68 per cent. of the cost to manufacture.

These goods have arrived, are unpacked and ready for inspection. The sale begins to-day, and no one can afford to overlook this splendid opportunity. The new stock comprises all that is reasonable and desirable: fresh new, stylish goods, made for this season's wear. In it will be found neat and nobby suits for men, youths and children; overcoats for all classes, and a full line of the very best neckwear.



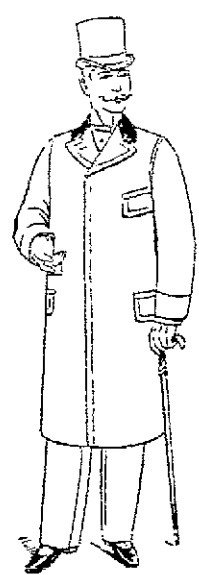
While some Clothing shops are jammed and rushed and crushed selling dreamed of manufacturers' remnants and leavings, we have lots of room and salesmen enough to give you full attention.

Do not be afraid of being crushed to death in the rush at our store. Be perfectly easy; no harm shall befall you; not in person and not to your pocketbook. While others think we are asleep WE SAY NOTHING AND SAW WOOD, as so much noise and too much, or all wind, with nothing back of it, is not our policy.

Our goods are new, stylish and correct, manufactured for this season, cost us, and cost you 100 cents on the dollar.

But you will get your money's worth in return for your cash. Our assortments are complete, and our prices are correct. We do not want to pull the wool over your eyes, and tell you we sell you goods at half price, or tell you another story, for we do not and will not do that; others may. Only honest, legitimate and straightforward methods are employed to transact business; and everything

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LINEN COLLARS,

Standard qualities only, 15c a pair or two pair for 25c.

LINEN CUFFS,

25c a pair.

NECK WEAR,

All styles and makes, 25c, 50c, 75c and \$1.00.

UNLAUNDERED SHIRTS,

39c, 50c and 75c.

MITTS and GLOVES,

Lined and unlined, for 25c to \$2.00 per pair.

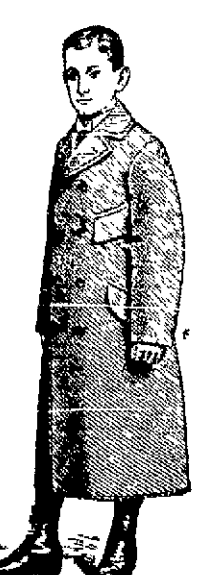


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Reefers and Overcoats, sizes the same as above, makeup and styles of this season only, go as low as \$2.50 and up to \$10. Trash in this department, as well as in our entire store, we can not handle.

In this line especially, we are the People. Do not buy until you see ours.

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CORRECT SCHEDULE

of the arrival and departure of trains from Lima, Ohio.

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THE MORMON DEAL.

It appears by the latest returns from Utah that the deal made by the Republicans with the Church of Latter Day Saints has been completely successful, having resulted in the election of a Republican Governor, member of Congress and Legislature. This will be followed by the choice of two Republican United States Senators from Utah, one of whom has already been indicated in the person of Brother Cannon a high dignitary in the Mormon church and the keenest of speculators in trade, politics and religion. The choice of two Republicans from Utah to take their seats in Congress on the 4th of March next may prove, however, rather embarrassing than otherwise to the party of Opportunism, as both of them will be advocates of free silver. In view also of the election of Republican Legislatures in Kentucky, Maryland and Ohio, the Republicans will be in secure possession of the Senate in the Fifty-first Congress without any occasion for the Mormon deal.

Of the character of this scandalous transaction the main features are well known. Early last spring reports from Utah contained significant hints of a bargain between the Mormon church and the Republicans covering completely the political control of the new State. These intimations were fully confirmed when, early in October the Synod of Mormon priests in Salt Lake City ordered two lay brethren who had been nominated on the Democratic State ticket to withdraw and forbade all Mormons to accept political offices without approval of the church. Thus was revealed the alliance between the Mormon church and the Republicans, who had refused to admit Utah into the Union because they alleged that the new State would remain under ecclesiastical sway and the Mormon priests were seduced to exert all their spiritual influence in behalf of a coalition to divide the first political spoils of the new member of the American Union.

So high handed and scandalous an ecclesiastical interference in political affairs has never before been witnessed in this country. Having once entered into this shameful coalition, the Mormon priests not only prohibited the members of their sect from voting the Democratic ticket, but ordered them to vote for the Republicans. To their credit the Mormon candidates on the Democratic ticket refused to withdraw in obedi-

ence to priestly dictation but ecclesiastical terrors proved too potent for the simple members of the Mormon church who gave their votes to the Republican candidates. As a result of this the ecclesiastical intervention an independent element has sprung up among the Mormons to vindicate the right of every citizen of Utah to exercise his own judgment in political affairs. But the Mormon church supported by the Republicans, will have little cause to fear an independent opposition to its continued control of Utah in all things spiritual and temporal. The party of "Great Moral Ideas" never gave a more characteristic proof of its Opportunism than in this alliance with this Church of the Latter Day Saints in Utah. In Saint Cannon the Mormon church and the Republican party will have a shining light in the Senate of the United States.—*Philadelphia Record*

DRAINING THE TREASURY

The Republican Organ Makes Accusations Against the Republican Commissioners.

A Family Quarrel Commenced, Which Promises to be Extending to the Public.

The Lima Gazette this morning contains this significant paragraph: "The County Commissioners yesterday allowed bills to the amount of \$1,200—another drain on the treasury, which will soon be exhausted. This is a severe commentary on the work of the Republican board of commissioners to be published in the columns of a Republican newspaper. It is a practical admission of the truth of the charges made before election against the Republican administration that they were in favor of high taxes, and spent the people's money with impunity and prodigality. But it was hardly to be hoped

that the Republican organ would be honest enough to admit it so soon. The Board of Commissioners: Republican, consisting of two Republicans and one Democrat. The Republican members can pass any measure they want, and all expenditures of public money made during the tenure of office of Messrs. Jacobs and Osman must be charged to the Republican party. These gentlemen have only had the control of the situation for about sixty days yet so prodigal have been their expenditures that even the Republican organ adverts to their expenditure of the public money as 'another drain on the treasury' and advances the argument that by such course the funds in the treasury will soon be exhausted. Now that the Gazette has commenced the work of condemning the misdoings of the Republican officials, perhaps they will tell the true inside

history of that Perry chapel full of Jim O'Leary's, or the gravel bank deal of later date. Let the good work go on. We had the people months ago that a Republican administration meant an extravagant expenditure of the public money, and now our esteemed contemporary has confirmed our statement.

A SWEET SINGER

Miss Van Valkenburgh, of Chicago, at Y. M. C. A. To-night.

The meeting for men at the Y. M. C. A. this week are proving of much interest. The attendance is good. Miss Van Valkenburgh sings twice each evening and her songs are just what men like to hear—sweet simple melodies sung from the heart. Meetings to night and Thursday and Friday, from 7 to 7:45 o'clock. All men are cordially invited.

"Friends," Wednesday, at opera house. 22 St 23.60

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Most Distressing of Skin Diseases Instantly Relieved by

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WHEN ALL ELSE FAILS

A warm bath with Cuticura Soap, and a single application of Cuticura (ointment), the great Skin Cure, followed by mild doses of Cuticura Resolvent (blood purifier), will afford instant relief, permit rest and sleep, and point to a speedy, permanent, and economical cure when all other methods fail.

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Enriches the blood. Sold for one dollar per gallon by
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TO TRADE AT THE UNION.

BECAUSE NO OTHER STORE

Ever did or ever will sell new, stylish and perfect Goods at as low prices as the UNION CLOTHING CO., N. E. corner Public Square.

October has been a remarkable month with us. The increase of business has simply been wonderful, in spite of preceding GOOD months. We are THE BUSIEST STORE IN THE BUSIEST PART OF LIMA, but we want a still greater patronage and while OUR STORE and OUR GROWTH are the talk of the town we shall not spare any effort to continue growing, growing, growing.

THE BUSIEST STORE

With this object in view will make a most powerful bid for your business and you get your money back if we do not save you 25 per cent as compared with the prices of other stores. Besides, our entire stock is new—nothing shopworn—and our selections have been made with so much care, that you are bound to be pleased no matter how strongly prejudiced you may be to buy at other stores where the accumulations of years are being displayed as novelties.

We Are Selling

MEN'S SUITS.

These suits are made up of 'fashionable, durable in fact perfect all through, of all wool materials—Cassimeres, Cheviots, Tweeds, Homespuns, Clay Worsted.

At \$4.00, sold elsewhere at \$6.00	At \$5.00, " " " " 8.00
At \$7.00, " " " " 10.00	At \$9.00, " " " " 12.00

Higher grades of suits, to the very finest silk lined garments.

OVERCOATS AND ULSTERS.

Here is Where You Find Us Right on Top.

\$4.50 for an Ulster or Overcoat sold elsewhere at \$7.00	\$7.00
6.00 " " " " " 10.00	10.00
7.00 " " " " " 12.00	12.00

10.00 buys of us a beauty of a coat, see it and you will buy it.

Our Stock of Overcoats is so large and complete (Prices, \$3.00 to \$30.00) that we can not do any more than to ask you to come and see.

Our Children's Department contains everything you can ask for, and is the most attractive department of the kind in Lima.



Our Water-proof Reefers Overcoat Boy.



THE REGENT.



OUR ABSOLUTE WATER PROOF BOY.

\$1.00 to \$3.00 For Children's Overcoats	\$2.00 to \$6.00 For Boys' Reefers	75c to \$10.00 For Boys' Suits	\$1.23 to \$6.00 For Juniors	\$1.48 to \$8.50 For Ulsters	\$3.00 to \$18.00 For Young Men's Suits
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Underwear, Gloves, Hosiery, Neckwear, Shirts, Hats, Caps, Trunks, Valises, etc., etc.

A magnificent assortment to select from; prices to suit everybody; quality and style which will make you our friend. Buy of us once, buy of us always.

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CONTRACTS LET

Board of County Commissioners.
Board of County Commissioners in regular session yesterday and allowed bills to the amount of \$1,200.
Report of the grand jury in to the number of indicted and the good condition of jail, and the board accepted the following:

across Riley Creek, near s, in Richland township; the bridge near Ransbottom's, in township; the township between Marion and Ger-e Ransbottom road in Ger-ship; the Bliss, Heidel-Ditte and Fisher roads in the Greely and Dutzler roads, and the bridge and about the Dugan bridge in Batu-ord contracts with Staley & n to repair forty rods on the e and Beaver Dam road, township, crushed stone at per cubic yard, the county cents for material; to Bata-Boyd to repair forty rods on d in Perry township with 35¢ cents per yard, county cents per yard; to J. H. Rey-furnish lumber for Lume-ige in Perry township at \$22 sand; to Jeff Watkins to re-at Fryman bridge, Richland, with crushed stone at 80 cubic yard; to Downard & aper sheriff's residence at 10 ents.
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STREET TALK.

Right of way has been secured and the surveying finished for the Lima Northern road to Malluta, seven miles from Hamler.

Special Delivery delighted the audience at Purot's last night. No attraction has been at the theater this season that was received so warmly, and there were repeated calls before the curtain. The show was first class throughout.

Lima Lodge of Elks will inaugurate their winter series of stag socials at their hall to-morrow evening, after the lodge meeting. There will be a fish fry.

Detective John T. Norris says that on the 25th of this month he will have been engaged in the detective business twenty-one years and on that day he will cease running down criminals and will take up the business of "traveling" for a large manufacturing establishment in New York city. Just what line of goods he will handle Mr. Norris did not state, but said it would be made public in due time. Mr. Norris says that although he had made a success of the "sleuth" business there was not as much money in it as some people think.

J. S. Day, of Ada, formerly a resident of this city and an employee of the Monroe Manufacturing company in South Lima, will leave this week with his family for South America where Mr. Day has accepted a position as instructor in woodworking and operating woodworking machinery in a government school located at Medellin, Antioquia, United States of Columbia.

GETTING BETTER.

The Danaher Boy Improving and May Possibly Recover.

The seven-year-old boy, Danaher, who fell under a train of cars in the C. & E. yards, Sunday afternoon, and had a leg cut off, is reported slightly improved to-day and the attending physician entertains a hope that he will survive the accident.

COURT HOUSE NEWS.

PROBATE COURT
John Mullenhour was today appointed administrator with will annexed, of the estate of Henry Mullenhour.

Andrew Casperson and Ala Bevens were granted a marriage license today.

To-day! To-day!!

We begin our great retiring sale of Warner Bros.' entire stock of clothing bought at 68 cents on the dollar, and will be sold at a slight advance. The Mammoth.

Zoo-Phora

If taking the lead over all female remedies.

SENATORIAL VOTE.

Official Returns from Thirty-Second District.

The official returns of the Senatorial vote cast in the 32d district at the recent election have been certified to and received by Clerk Mowen, of the Allen County Board of Elections, and is as follows:

Allen County—Conley, R., 4,106; Brown, R., 4,044; Lawlor, D., 4,290; Johnson, D., 4,207; Conley, Pop., 730; Weeks, Pop., 685; Barrington, Pro., 281; Griffin, Pro., 267.

Auglaize County—Conley 2,403; Brown 2,404; Lawlor 3,732; Johnson 3,733; Conley 380; Weeks 378; Barrington 91; Griffin 86.

DeKalb County—Conley 2,001; Brown 2,040; Lawlor 2,596; Johnson 2,459; Conley 1,398; Weeks 1,288; Barrington 99; Griffin 86.

Mercer County—Conley 1,414; Brown 1,497; Lawlor 3,248; Johnson 3,378; Conley 199; Weeks 812; Barrington 82; Griffin 79.

Paulding County—Conley 3,097; Brown 3,093; Lawlor 2,273; Johnson 2,272; Conley 745; Weeks 745; Barrington 65; Griffin 62.

Van Wert County—Conley 3,510; Brown 3,513; Lawlor 3,416; Johnson 3,403; Conley 154; Weeks 143; Barrington 258; Griffin 262.

Williams County—Conley, 2,806; Brown, 2,788; Lawlor, 1,923; Johnson, 1,921; Conley, 1,024; Weeks, 1,006; Barrington, 114; Griffin, 106.

Total—Conley, R., 19,343; Brown, R., 19,379; Lawlor, D., 21,388; Johnson, D., 21,509; Conley, Pop., 5,140; Weeks, Pop., 5,067; Barrington, Pro., 1,090; Griffin, Pro., 1,048.

Majorities—Conley Republican and Populist, over Johnson 2,974. Johnson, D., over Lawlor, D., 121; Lawlor, D., over Brown, Republican, 1,009. Conley and Johnson are elected. The combined Populist and Republican vote gave the former a majority of 2,974, while Johnson is elected over Lawlor, having received 121 more votes than the latter.

To-day! To-day!!

We begin our great retiring sale of Warner Bros.' entire stock of clothing bought at 68 cents on the dollar, and will be sold at a slight advance. The Mammoth.

W. R. C. Notice.

Members of Mart Armstrong Relief Corps are requested to bring their donations for the Soldiers' Home at Sandusky, consisting of canned fruits, jellies and cushions, to Memorial hall on Thursday. By order of COMMITTEE.

Bargain Sale

Dress Goods.

Fancy Dress Goods, the 75c. quality, for 30c, and the \$1.00 quality for 40c at Blum's to-morrow. 22-3t

Go and see "Friends," Wednesday; opera house, 3t

THE WEATHER.

There is a disturbance central this morning over Kansas, and another over the extreme northwest, which make the conditions very unsettled over the entire country between the Rocky mountains and the Mississippi river. The eastern half of the country is covered by an area of high barometer which will cause the weather to remain fair over this section during the next twenty-four hours. A second area of high barometer covers the extreme west, and will move eastward in the track of the storm area now over the west.

The temperature has risen generally over the entire country and the conditions are favorable for warmer weather to prevail over this section during the next thirty-six hours.

During the past twenty-four hours rain or snow has fallen over portions of the south Atlantic and Gulf coasts, Minnesota, Iowa, Missouri, Nebraska, North and South Dakota, Montana, Kansas and Manitoba. The conditions are favorable for showers to prevail over the lake region and central valleys during the next thirty-six hours.

IN TROUBLE AGAIN.

Mrs. Francis Threatens to Shoot Mrs. Allen.

This morning, a woman named Allen, who lives near Eureka street on south Jackson, appealed to Chief Haller for police protection. She claims that Mrs. Francis, her neighbor threatened to shoot her and frightened away a girl who was staying with her. The chief succeeded in quieting the women and this afternoon Mrs. Allen requested that an officer be sent to her house to protect her until she could get her goods out and move.

ABOUT PEOPLE.

Who They Are, Where They Have Been, or Are Going

Dr. S. A. Baxter is home from Columbus.

Councilman J. W. Van Eman went to Springfield this morning.

Chas Marsden and Will Mertz will go to Muncie, Ind., to-night to go hunting.

Mrs. M. V. McGilliard, of Indianapolis, nee Lizzie Lloyd, formerly of Lima, is in the city, the guest of friends.

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Watts, of west Spring street, went to Spencerville this morning for a few days' visit with relatives.

Mrs. Anna M. Lye and sons, John, Frank and Eddie, who have spent the summer here, have gone to Chicago, where the boys will attend school.

Dress Goods Sale

To-morrow.

To-morrow begins a bargain Dress Goods sale at Blum's.

BUCKWHEAT CAKES
that taste like buckwheat is the kind of cakes you get from Larowe's Country Buckwheat. It's all buckwheat—that's why. As pure as buckwheat can possibly be. Grown in the country, ground in the country, sent sealed from the country to you.
In 2, 5 and 10 lb. packages. Ask your dealer for it or write to LAROWE MILLING CO., Limited, COHOCTON, N. Y.

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FOR
HER MAJESTY'S
CORSETS
Feldmann & Co
210 N. MAIN ST.

THOSE PRETTY FEET!



How often you hear "What a pretty foot she has"
Take off her shoe and you will find her foot just like yours.

It is all a matter of the shoe; an elegant shoe will cultivate an elegant foot.

"As the twig is bent so the tree will incline."

Our New Woman's Shoes

Make any foot look handsome, comfortable and stylish

The 20th Century Shoes.

Tailor-made Foot-wear.

Style, comfort and wear to be found only at the Columbia Shoe Store.

It is the popular Shoe with the city woman, it is the ideal of the new girl—why should it not be? It produces just what years of experience has accomplished.

The Century Shoe.

AA to E, 1 to 9, Kid and Cloth top, button and lace. It costs nothing extra to wear stylish shoes; only a little time to go to the Leading Shoe House of Lima

THE COLUMBIA.

Opposite Old Postoffice.

Elixir of Youth.

Every woman temporarily renews her youth when reading a good love story.—Hitchison Globe.

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WANTED.

WANTED—Immediately. One lady and one gentleman to collect money. Good pay and steady employment. Address J. H. care this office. 10 S-W St.

WANTED—Girl to sew by the week. Apply at Dressmaking Rooms on Main street, over Mrs. Light's Millinery store.

A GOLDEN opportunity. Agents wanted. A lady or gentleman in every city and county in this state, to handle the best line of goods on the market. Call at 123 West Wayne street. 21-12

FOR RENT—New house on Holmes street. 6 rooms, good kitchen. Enquire at Per-y-Susser's, 811 St. Johns av. 21-12

WANTED—Girl to do general housework. Call at 601 north Main street. 21-12

FOR RENT—Modern six room house, with bath and modern conveniences. One square west of Main st., near the square. Enquire Dr. R. D. Kable, Warner block.

MONEY TO LOAN.

I have money to loan on good city and farm property, at same to suit, at lowest terms and rates of interest. No delay. Give me a call before making arrangements elsewhere. W. H. WALLACE. Room 8, Second Floor, Holmes Block. 11-12-d&w 1m

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Manmoth
Just consummated deal with Warner Bros & Co, buffalo for balance of their stock
think this the best lot of goods we ever closed out. Goods will be shipped tomorrow will write particulars
A Goldstein

THE MAMMOTH STORE,

FASHIONABLE OUTFITTERS FOR MEN AND BOYS.

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And he handed her her fars. "It is so kind and good of you, Minnie, but—let me try a little longer for that fortune." And the ghost of a smile lingered on his face for an instant.

"I suppose I could not help you in any way, Brandon? May I leave my checkbook?"

The question was put very hesitatingly, and while the inner man cried "Yes!" in piteous accents the outer gentleman declined the kind offer with a courteous firmness.

"I have read several of your short stories," Minnie said as she pulled on her gloves, "and think they are really clever. But you ought to try something big—a three volume novel."

"They are going out of fashion, and besides they take such a time. One can scribble off short stories like nursery rhymes, and the return is quick."

He referred to the return of the manuscripts. She thought he meant payment.

"But here," he went on rapidly, going to the table and taking up his unfinished book—"here is a novel I have almost completed. None of your ordinary drivel, but realism, and that is the demand of the hour. It will not be more than 40,000 words, and I am confident of its success."

"When you finish your book, Brandon," she advised, "send it to Irvine & Irvine. They will publish it in their 'Non de Plume' series. You will have an eccentric, idiotic poster all to yourself in the new art style, and the puzzle of the hour will be: 'What is the writer's name? Is it a he or a she?' Then, when the papers have criticised your book, praised it, slashed it and discussed it for all it is worth, your real name will be discovered. Interviewers will regard you as a special prize. Your photo will be attempted in the evening news sheets, and you will be famous."

Her throat burned while she spoke. Her voice was very dry and her countenance artificial.

"Goodbye, goodbye!"

"Kiss me, Brandon—a last kiss."

He bent and pressed his lips to hers, then turned quickly away as she hurried down stairs and home and sat in his chair far into the evening, the most miserable man on earth.

It was about a week later, and Brandon was still in his lodgings. His landlady had informed him after Minnie's visit that some one had settled a long standing debt, so he need not worry over his little account. He blessed her. She passed the blessing on to Minnie Horton.

He sat at the table endeavoring to think out his novel, but he could not compose a single sentence, for on the news sheet spread out before him there danced in the blackest of type a paragraph which had paralyzed all the energy in him. Minnie was to be married. She had taken him at his word and would wed young Percy Oleott in three months' time.

Well, that ended it. The one ray of hope that had made his existence bearable had been flashed from his life, and death was the only panacea. Poison, hanging, drowning or a bullet—anything to get out of the world quickly. And he had loved her so much! Of course it was his own choice. If he could only have conventionally murdered his pride and laughed in the world's face, he might have been happy with the woman he loved, but he could not, and now he could not live.

Thus ran his reflections, when the landlady brought him a letter, written on perfumed yellow paper. He recognized the handwriting at once. It was from Minnie and confirmed the newspaper item. She retained his ring as a keepsake.

"Do not give way to ridiculous passion," she advised him, and his face hardened as he read the words again. Not he! Why should he? Must his life be suddenly extinguished, his hopes dispelled, because he had lost the love of one woman? There were scores of others—all beautiful, all loving, all good—no, some good—and when he was famous! He had struck the right chord, and his whole being sprang into a furious blaze of ambition—a desire to cheat the woman that he thought had jilted him and laugh at her in mockery and triumph.

He walked his room feverishly, his hands clinched and his lips set tight, while the fire of ambition forged his determination and withered his love. By heavens, he would be famous! Day after night he would toll at the book until it was finished and then—then his triumph.

Yes, that was it. Work, work and forget her, and he pitched the dainty note into the fire and commenced. He unfroze. All his energies returned, all his thoughts rushed back upon him and fell over each other as his pen raced across the paper. In a few days his book was ready for the publishers.

Brandon received a reply from Irvine & Irvine within two days. This was a revelation that astounded him. But what surprised him still more was the fact that the publishers wished to see him.

It was a pity Minnie had been so hasty, Brandon thought, as he consumed Irvine's note time after time. Fortune and fame were written all over him, and if he only had her!

At least he ought to write and congratulate her on her engagement. He wondered with a mean exultation what she would feel like—if she would turn white when she read of his success. So he sat down to write; but, remembering that all eggs did not turn out chicks, he deferred it until he had seen the publishers.

After the interview he was mad with himself because he had not written for Irvine & Irvine paid him \$1,300 down for all the rights of his book. How he walked home from the office he never knew, and he wondered why he had not cabbied it. He remembered changing his check at the bank, buying a quarter cigar, which he enjoyed with great gusto, and visiting his tailor's, where he purchased a ready made suit and was measured for various others. Of course he would have to change his lodgings now. He could not entertain interviewers in his present garret.

Arrived home, he desired to wipe off his debts with the landlady at once, showering carelessly upon the table in her best parlor a handful of gold, which took all the breath from the old lady's body. She was in no hurry, however. There was a visitor up stairs waiting for him.

"A man?" gasped Brandon, with a sinking heart, as his mind flew to interviewers. But it was a lady, as he quickly discovered, and that lady Minnie. His heart beat rapidly, his breath came quickly, his eyes gleamed brightly, and he was about to catch her in his arms when he remembered that she belonged to another, and the memory crushed him.

He attempted to speak, but a sudden attack of aphasia stilled his tongue, and he sank into a chair and covered his face with his hands, while the lump that had risen in his throat almost choked him.

"Aren't you well, Brandon?" Minnie inquired, alarmed at his appearance. She placed her small hand lovingly upon his burning forehead, but he winced at the touch as though it was something that hurt him. "Are you ill, dear?" And she sank on her knees and strove to pull his hands from his face.

"It was only a joke, darling, only a joke," she cried piteously, her eyes wet with tears. "I am not going to marry Oleott."

Brandon sat upright suddenly, his face very white.

"You are not?" as he caught her wrists in a frantic grasp.

"No, no! Forgive me, dearest. I thought if I told you that you would fancy I was happy and so be able to work. You said so."

Brandon sighed deeply, bent and kissed her.

"I might have killed myself," he remarked presently.

"You had too much pride," she was smiling now.

"But why have you come here again?"

"You never wrote to me, Brandon, and I thought I—"

"You feared I should do what you know I would not. That's like a woman," and he laughed lightly. "But it's all over now, Minnie. I have completed my book and sold it to the Irvines for \$1,300. The announcement of your engagement kicked my pride so hard that I had to do something desperate."

Minnie was a splendid actress.

"What?" craning forward, with one hand on her lover's shoulder.

"Thirteen hundred dollars. You darling!" And she kissed him eagerly.

"Yes, and there's more to follow. They are certain it will be a success, and they claim the refusal of all my other works. God bless you, Minnie! But for you—you've got to share this with me."

He threw the gold and notes upon the table, but the girl shrank back.

"No, no, Brandon, your brains earned it. It is all yours. Yes, we will share it and all that is to come. No refusal. You proposed it."

They were married within a month, but "A Fin de Siecle Fool" was not a success. Indeed it was an utter failure, and one paper remarked that Messrs. Irvine & Irvine had better close up if that was the best rubbish they could secure.

How Minnie laughed at the great unknown scribe who punned those lines! Like Brandon, he never knew that Minnie Horton was the real publisher of the volume; that she paid Brandon the \$1,300, and that she published all his following effusions.

Brandon works merrily on; writes four hours each day and sells each book as soon as it is finished. Strange to relate, many of his works are out of print. Though paid for, they have never been published. Occasionally he determines to trot around to Irvine's and inquire what they mean by such scandalous conduct, but when this fit seizes him Minnie always has something for him to do, and he always does it.—Boston Traveller.

MINTING GOLD COINS.

A CONSTANT STRUGGLE TO KEEP UP WITH THE DEMAND.

Active Operations of the Philadelphia Mint—The Closing of the New Orleans Mint—Coinage of Fractional Silver, Dimes and Nickels Not Being Collected.

The turning out of bright gold coins, in eagles and double eagles, is going on at the Philadelphia mint these days as rapidly as other necessary coinage will permit. The government found itself in close quarters last winter, not only by the reduction of the net gold reserve in coin and bullion, but by the absolute exhaustion of gold coin which legitimately belonged to the treasury. Coin was held against gold certificates, but constituted a trust fund which the government had no right to touch. It was borrowed without consulting the owners, and greenbacks and Sherman notes were thereby redeemed in coin which could otherwise have been redeemed only in bullion.

Secretary Carlisle determined not to be caught in this way again, and large quantities of bullion were transferred to the Philadelphia mint for coinage as soon as the crisis was over. Work is now going on to the extent of \$3,000,000 or \$4,000,000 a month, and if there had been no withdrawals of coin the treasury would be many millions stronger in this respect than in the spring.

A net increase of coin can only be shown when the work at the mints is more rapid than the withdrawal of coin at the treasuries, so that the bullion fund still stands at \$55,395,890, and the coin which belongs to the government is less than \$38,000,000.

This is a better showing by \$2,000,000 than on Oct. 1 and will be improved by the end of the year, when gold withdrawals are again likely to become heavy.

The government is constantly getting gold, but it is largely in the form of bullion fresh from the mines, which is deposited at the mints and assay offices. The result is a constant struggle by the mint officials to keep pace with the withdrawals of gold coin. Gold coinage is executed at San Francisco to the amount of about \$20,000,000 per year, but the gold comes entirely from western mints and assay offices, and none is sent there from the east.

The recent closing of the New Orleans mint was misrepresented by one of the press associations as an important event connected with the coinage of standard silver dollars. This coinage was substantially suspended several months ago, and the closing of the mint was simply due to the exhaustion of the available appropriation which has been made for several years by congress for the loss in recoining worn pieces of subsidiary silver. The subsidiary silver accumulated for several years in the treasury and could not be recoined without authority of law, because the face value of the pieces could not be reproduced from the worn coins for the amounts recoined. This recoining has now progressed so far that the number of badly worn pieces is small, but the public has been so taken with the new designs that it is constantly demanding them in exchange for the old pieces, even where the latter have been little used.

The fractional silver now in the treasury is about \$13,500,000, but only a small proportion of this is in worn coins. A part of the daily payments must necessarily be in fractional silver, and it would probably require a working balance of \$7,000,000 to \$8,000,000 to cover this amount. One or two more appropriations by congress will probably clean up the excess of worn coins and reduce future requirements to a small allowance to cover the average annual wear.

The treasury is not now coining any silver dimes, for an abundant supply for years to come was turned out during the craze for dime savings banks, which absorbed the little silver pieces as rapidly and completely as a rat hole.

The termination of the craze for banks threw the dimes back into circulation, and they have become somewhat of a drug upon the market.

Nickels are also in excess of demands, and none is coined from new bullion. Such nickels as drift into the treasury in very bad condition or of ancient design are sent to Philadelphia and recoined, but they form but a small amount per month.

Most of the subsidiary silver coinage is now carried on at Philadelphia, but the traces of silver found in gold bullion at San Francisco are permitted to be coined there.

There is no pressing necessity for the coinage of standard silver dollars at present for the redemption of Sherman notes, although these redemptions have reached nearly \$15,000,000 in standard silver dollars during the past two years. The present supply will meet the demands of this year, but further coinage may be required next summer or autumn to supply the usual demand for paying the pickers of cotton and moving the crops.

There is a considerable demand for pennies, and they are being turned out at Philadelphia in large numbers.—Boston Herald.

How Electricity Vitalizes Trade.

A single American copper mine has already produced 74,000,000 pounds of copper this year, and it is expected that its total output for the year will reach 95,000,000 pounds. Its net profits last year are put at \$2,988,000. These exaggerated returns on a comparatively small investment are due primarily to the great demand for copper caused by the increasing use of electricity.—New York World.

What Britain Really Wants.

What Great Britain really wants is an adjustable Venezuelan boundary which will move either way, according to the latest reports from the gold mines.—St. Paul Pioneer Press.

FANCY CHEESES.

Some of the Cheeses Varieties and How They Are Made.

Among the cheeses with which the epicure rounds off his dinner the chief favorites are the Stilton, Edam, Camembert, Munster, Roquefort, de Brie, Limburger, d'Isigny, Neufchatel, Schloss and Gorgonzola. Of these delectable qualities all except the Roquefort are the production of the American dairy.

With complacency the diner out regards his plate of fromage, flattering himself that something inexplicable in the air or soil of the continent has encharged the cheese before him with peculiar richness. This, he supposes, was made in Switzerland from the milk of the goat, and that ripened into toothsome under a warm Italian sky. The truth is that even the Limburger has most likely traveled no farther to reach his hotel, cottage or mansion than from the town of Antwerp in the state of New York.

In this favored region, where the grass is crisp and rich and fine heads of Jersey cattle dot the landscape, is to be found one of the largest cheese factories in this country.

It is true the manager has served an apprenticeship in the factories of the old world, and the success of the production here rests upon the quality of the milk and the method of its manipulation.

The process by which each variety is made is essentially the same as those of every other. The difference consists in the extra amount of cream incorporated with the milk, in the amount of time occupied in the curing and other details, such as the pressure under which the curd is placed.

In all cases the milk is more or less heated, rennet is introduced to coagulate, the curd is carefully cut into dice, drained of its whey through linen or cotton cloths, salted, pressed, arranged on shelves, kept at a given temperature, turned, rubbed and "cured" for a certain length of time.

Take, for instance, fromage de Brie.

After the curd has stood four hours it is dipped into tin rings, which are placed on small cane mats, from which the whey drains until it has shrunk to fit a smaller ring. In two months of turning and rubbing the de Brie is fit for the market. Much in the same manner are made the d'Isigny and the Camembert. For the latter cream is added to the fresh milk to make it richer, and the process of curing goes on more slowly.

In the case of the cheeses named the milk is kept at about 60 degrees. In the Munster, Limburger and some others milk and rennet are heated in huge copper kettles to 85 degrees, after which the curd is cut into cubes and heated to 110 degrees for one and 125 for the other.

Italian cream cheese, or Philadelphia cream, is made from sweet cream instead of milk. Neufchatel is made from unheated milk, and the curd is subjected to little pressure. It is then cut fine by a machine, salted and packed, also by machinery. But little of the Neufchatel is imported, and that in winter.

Clubhouse cheese, which is sold in small glass jars, is simply cream cheese run through a sausage grinder and stuffer, with the addition of a small quantity of butter. The profit on this kind of cheese is immense.

Roquefort cheese it is impossible to make outside of the place from which it derived its name. Cheeses are there cured in a cave having a peculiarly soft, dry air, which gives them a quality that can be obtained by no other method.

From the whey, buttermilk and skimmed milk of cheese factories is obtained that sugar of milk so much used in the manufacture of medicinal tablets.—New York Home Journal.

He Escaped.

Two men were out shooting. One had a license, the other hadn't. A keeper approached, and the one that had a license ran away.

The keeper was a good runner, and an exciting chase ensued over a mile and a half of nice plowed field. At last the keeper got up to the runaway.

"Now, sir, where's your license?"

"It was produced."

"Then why did you run away?"

"Oh, I'm fond of exercise," answered the man, "but don't you think you'd better ask my friend if he has one?"

The friend was then about two miles off, and the keeper only whistled and went on his way a sadder and a wiser man.—London Tit-Bits.

An Envelope For Her Telegram.

Aunt Miranda went up to the telephone office at the hotel, and after laboriously writing out a telegram asked the operator for an envelope.

"We're not allowed to give out the company's envelopes. What do you want it for?"

"Why, to put the message in of course. Miss came in an envelope."

—Chautauqua Assembly Herald.

ALWAYS TIRED.

HOW MANY WOMEN DO YOU KNOW

Who Can Say They Are Thoroughly Well? How They Can Be Strong.

I don't feel very well; I am so tired all the time; I don't know what is the matter with me.

You hear these words every day. As often as you meet your friends, just so often are the words repeated. More than likely you speak the same pregnant words yourself, and there is no doubt but that you do feel far from well most of the time.

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SPILLEE WASHEE.

Long Dang's Laundry Wagon Wrecked by a Street Car.

The Collision Created Considerable Excitement on West Market Street this Morning.

A laundry wagon driven by Long Dang, the Chinese laundryman, was completely wrecked by a motor car on west Market street about 9:30 o'clock this morning.

Long Dang had left his horse and wagon standing in front of J. W. Griffin's residence while he was delivering laundry in that vicinity. The horse is quite a spirited animal, and unfortunately the Chinaman neglected to tie it. The animal frightened at on approaching car and plunged upon the track directly in front of it.

The car was running at a high rate of speed and could not be stopped. The horse was knocked down and the wagon overturned, but before the car was stopped, the animal was again on its feet and was dragging the wagon off at a lively rate. The vehicle struck a stepping stone in front of Geo. Hall's residence and the resistance was sufficient to free the horse which ran then east on Market street and was captured at the public square.

The animal sustained several cuts and bruises but was not seriously injured. The laundry wagon is a complete wreck. Both shafts were broken and every part of the vehicle was broken except the wheels. Laundry was scattered all over the street. Long Dang knew nothing of the accident until he came out onto the sidewalk and discovered his wagon and laundry scattered in the street.

He telephoned to a livery barn and had a rig sent out to gather up the laundry.

AHEAD OF THE ENGINE.

A Horse Travels in the Middle of the Track for Almost Four Miles.

The passengers on train No. 6 on the C. H. & D. railroad, due here at 12:28 p. m., witnessed a novel sight to-day. As the train pulled out of Tippecanoe a loose horse jumped on the track and ran up the track in front of the engine for a distance of almost four miles. On account of the horse being on the track the engineer had to reverse his engine several times and five or six times the engine came near striking the horse. Notwithstanding this the horse never offered to leave the track and ran until the Boone pond bridge, about midway between Tippecanoe and Troy, was reached. It could not cross the bridge and stopped at the south end, remaining in the middle of the track. The train was also stopped but the fireman had to get off the engine and lead the horse off the track. The occurrence delayed the train about twenty minutes.—*Sidney News.*

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DREW A KNIFE

And Drove the Inspectors Out of His Store.

A new phase of the operation of the pure food laws is presented in a case which the department has pending in St. Marys.

Dr. J. A. Sterrett, one of the inspectors, who has charge of the branch which has to do with the investigation of adulteration in drugs and liquors, has encountered the first case where a sample of goods has been refused the inspector.

Dr. Sterrett has reason to suspect that a certain druggist in St. Marys was selling whiskey which was badly adulterated, and visited the store and sought to purchase some of the goods for analysis. The druggist recognized the doctor, and declined to sell the article. In order that there might be no mistake Dr. Sterrett explained who he was and what he wanted with the sample of liquor, calling the druggist's attention to the fact that he was violating the law by refusing to sell the article to the inspector.

The druggist flew into a passion, and grabbing a large cheese knife which lay on the counter, warned the inspector not to attempt to take any of the goods by force. The inspector retired in good order, and swore out a warrant for the man, charging him with refusing to sell an article to an officer of the Dairy and Food Department for the purpose of analysis. The pure food laws are as strict in cases of this kind as in cases where adulteration is found. The penalty for refusing to sell an article for analysis by the department is as severe as for selling adulterated goods. The result of the trial, which will be held next week, will be of unusual interest.

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Stores 233 and 235 North Main Street.

HAND MASHED.

DeWitt Richmond, Jr., Injured at the Car Works Last Evening.

DeWitt C. Richmond, Jr., who has been an employee at the car works in South Lima, for the past few weeks, met with a painful accident about 5 o'clock last evening, that may result in the loss of two fingers of his left hand.

A heavy piece of machinery was being loaded onto a truck and Richmond was one of ten men necessary to handle it. One end of the piece rested upon a board from which it slipped in some manner and pinned Richmond's left hand to the floor. He fainted before he was released from his painful position and when his hand was finally released it was found to be terribly crushed. He was taken to the office of a surgeon and the wounded hand was dressed. The middle and third fingers were badly mashed, but were not amputated, although that operation may yet be necessary.

Look at list of swell attractions this week at opera house:

Wednesday—"Friends."
Thursday—"Conroy & Fox."
Saturday—"On the Mississippi." 22 6t

Be Sure That

You see the Dress Goods bargains at G. E. Bluem's to-morrow. 22-3t

NO NEW CASES.

The Scarlet Fever Patients all ing Nicely.

No new cases of scarlet fever any other contagious disease were reported to Health Officer Rudy morning, and all the patients were cases were reported within the few days are said to be improving nicely.

Of all the recent cases none have been severe except the one at residence of R. W. Melly on west street.

With every 50 cent purchase Hoover Bros. give a ticket on 50 prizes, value at \$750.00.

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Great Mid-Season Sale of Dress Goods.

TO-MORROW

We offer a big bargain sale of new choice Dress Goods that will be a surprise to everyone.

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The Dry Goods, Dress Goods and Cloak House.

TALES OF THE TOWN.

Mrs. Ed Swigert, of 409 west Wayne street, is critically ill.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Benj. Astor, of west Wayne street, a 7 pound boy.

Frank E. Wilkin and wife have begun housekeeping at 753 Greenlawn avenue.

Dr. Huntley has removed his family from east High street to 327 north Elizabetha street.

Dan Lynch and wife have begun housekeeping in the Payne block, east North street.

The Musical-Literary club will meet with Mrs. R. H. Ebersole, on north Pierce street, this evening.

The stranger named Jas. Stone arrested yesterday afternoon for drunkenness was fired out of town to-day.

The Turner Hall, on south Main street, is to be reopened this evening by A. L. McKetrick, who will give a dance.

The police are endeavoring to locate a gold watch which was stolen from Ed Erstene, of Haage's restaurant.

Ed King, the coal oil man, who recently wedded Miss Crozier, of Findlay, has gone to housekeeping at 328 south West street.

Will Clark yesterday afternoon pushed Guy Curtis around the square in a wheelbarrow, in payment of an election bet. They attracted a large crowd.

Mrs. M. C. Marshall, of south Pierce street, who was severely injured by a fall several days ago, by which she sustained a broken arm, is improving slowly.

J. A. Chapin began the erection to-day of a nine room house on west Market street for banker Gus Kalb, which will be occupied by Gus Well, the clothier, when finished.

A lot of underwear was stolen from a line at the residence of James Maxwell, on west Elm street, last night. The police were notified, but there is no clue to the identity of the thief.

Last evening about 6 o'clock a gray horse driven by Stant Yoakum ran away on east High street, but was stopped near the Lima Northern tracks before any damage was done.

The jury in the Fensler-Ruhl case for \$1,000 damage for being placed on the black for thirty-nine cents, returned a verdict of \$100 in favor of Fensler in Common Pleas court last evening.

Ike Donaldson's handsome new residence at Elm and Elizabeth street, is under roof, but will not be finished until January 1st. It will be one of the finest dwelling houses in that part of the city.

Dr. J. B. Haines, recently of the firm of Hesser & Haines has located his residence at 714 Greenlawn avenue, and will resume the practice of medicine. His office is in the Williams block on south Main street.

Last evening Mon Irwin, one of Muser's drivers, hitched his team in front of Seibers and was eating his supper when the team broke loose and ran away. They were stopped at the public square but not until one door and a lamp had been broken off.

The Whittlers meeting at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. H. Scott was well attended. Associate member Roberson's address on Evolution was well received. Miss H. Shaffer's paper on Progress was highly appreciated; also that of Miss F. Harper. Mesdames Roberson and Scott were made honorary members.

Coal - Hard, Soft And smelting coal, at Mayo's.

NEARED A CENTURY.

Death of a Lady Who Was Ninety-Seven Years Old.

Elizabeth Mason, one of the oldest pioneer residents of Allen county, died at her home five miles northeast of this city at 10 o'clock this morning, from general debility. The deceased was 97 years of age.

The funeral services will be held from Blue Lick church at 1:30 o'clock Friday afternoon. Interment will be made in Blue Lick cemetery.

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